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Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

Gary E Hollinden, Ph.D.

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 16 February 1999

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: All

Identification of prior art discussed: All

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

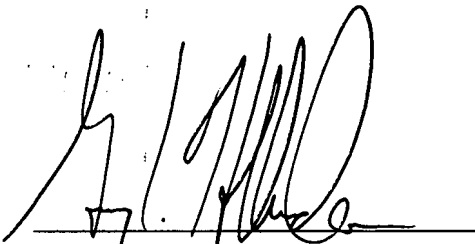
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(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview(if box is checked).

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Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant suggested replacing the language regarding a "fixed molar ratio" with the specific numerical ranges disclosed in the specification. Applicant noted that since the prior art at best only teaches the general concept of mixtures and fails to disclose any specific amounts or ratios (or examples thereof), the claiming of a specific range would clearly overcome their teachings. Applicant also proposed that certain new dependent claims would contain functional limitations concerning their properties after in vivo administration, etc.